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**37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement**

Applicants	Title	Serial No.	Filing Date
Richard Lunak	METHOD OF ISSUING MEDICAL SUPPLIES AND DISPENSING AND ADMINISTERING MEDICATIONS THROUGH A HAND-HELD DEVICE AND A DEVICE AND SYSTEM FOR DOING THE SAME	09/998,121	11/30/2001

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